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def aStarAlgo(start_node, stop_node):

    open_set = set(start_node)

    closed_set = set()

    g = {}          #store distance from starting node
    parents = {}    # parents contains an adjacency map of all nodes

    #distance of starting node from itself is zero
    g[start_node] = 0

    #start_node is root node i.e it has no parent nodes
    #so start_node is set to its own parent node
    parents[start_node] = start_node

    while len(open_set) > 0:
        n = None

        #node with lowest f() is found
        for v in open_set:
            if n == None or g[v] + heuristic(v) < g[n] + heuristic(n):
                n = v

        if n == stop_node or Graph_nodes[n] == None:
            pass
        else:
            for (m, weight) in get_neighbors(n):
                #nodes 'm' not in first and last set are added to first
                #n is set its parent
                if m not in open_set and m not in closed_set:
                    open_set.add(m)
                    parents[m] = n
                    g[m] = g[n] + weight

                #for each node m,compare its distance from start i.e g(m) to the
                #from start through n node
                else:
                    if g[m] > g[n] + weight:
                        #update g(m)

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        g[m] = g[n] + weight
        #change parent of m to n
        parents[m] = n
        #if m in closed set,remove and add to open
        if m in closed_set:
            closed_set.remove(m)
            open_set.add(m)
    if n == None:
        print('Path does not exist!')
        return None

    # if the current node is the stop_node
    # then we begin reconstructin the path from it to the start_node
    if n == stop_node:
        path = []
        while parents[n] != n:
            path.append(n)
            n = parents[n]
        path.append(start_node)
        path.reverse()
        print('Path found: {}'.format(path))
        return path

    # remove n from the open_list, and add it to closed_list
    # because all of his neighbors were inspected
    open_set.remove(n)
    closed_set.add(n)
    print('Path does not exist!')
    return None

#define fuction to return neighbor and its distance
#from the passed node

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def get_neighbors(v):
    if v in Graph_nodes:
        return Graph_nodes[v]
    else:
        return None

#for simplicity we ll consider heuristic distances given
#and this function returns heuristic distance for all nodes
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def heuristic(n):
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    H_dist = {
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        'A': 11,
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        'B': 6,
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        'C': 5,
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        'D': 7,
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        'E': 3,
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        'F': 6,
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        'G': 5,
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        'H': 3,
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        'I': 1,
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        'J': 0
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    }
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    return H_dist[n]
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#Describe your graph here
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Graph_nodes = {
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    'A': [('B', 6), ('F', 3)],
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    'B': [('A', 6), ('C', 3), ('D', 2)],
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    'C': [('B', 3), ('D', 1), ('E', 5)],
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    'D': [('B', 2), ('C', 1), ('E', 8)],
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    'E': [('C', 5), ('D', 8), ('I', 5), ('J', 5)],
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    'F': [('A', 3), ('G', 1), ('H', 7)],
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    'G': [('F', 1), ('I', 3)],
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'H': [('F', 7), ('I', 2)],

'I': [('E', 5), ('G', 3), ('H', 2), ('J', 3)],

}